SYMANTEC CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RANNINGER REBECCA

> (First) (Middle)

20330 STEVENS CREEK **BOULEVARD**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SYMANTEC CORP [SYMC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

EVP, Chief Human Resource Off.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/01/2007		M	15,500	A	\$ 8.2125	141,342 (1)	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2007		S(2)	105	D	\$ 16.88	141,237	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2007		S(2)	4,320	D	\$ 16.87	136,917	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2007		S(2)	11,075	D	\$ 16.84	125,842	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.2125	03/01/2007		M	15,500	(3)	12/14/2011	Common Stock	15,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RANNINGER REBECCA 20330 STEVENS CREEK BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

EVP, Chief Human Resource Off.

Signatures

/s/ Arthur Courville, as attorney-in-fact for Rebecca Ranninger

03/02/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes 572 shares that were acquired through the 1998 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 15, 2007.
- (2) Sale was made pursuant to a stock trading plan established under Rule 10b5-1.
- (3) 25% vested on 1st anniversary measured from December 14, 2001 and the remainder vested in equal monthly installments over the next 36 months.

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